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New Cheerleaders Selected Tuesday

Pat Markland, Charles Wildy and Bob Coover were selected Tuesday night to serve as Southern Illinois University's cheerleading squad for 1950-51.

With Girls' Rally and Alpha Phi Omega doing the yelling, seven candidates vied for positions on the squad. Judging was done by a faculty-student committee.

No set number of cheerleaders was decided upon until after the try-outs. Last year the squad consisted of two men and four girls.

PAT MARKLAND is the only new member of the squad. A freshman, Pat was a cheerleader for a semester at Calumet high school in Chicago. Calumet has an enrollment of between 2500 and 3000. She is majoring in statistics at Southern.

Wildy and Coover are veterans from last year's squad. Wildy is a transfer from Belleville junior college. Both he and Coover, who is from Herrin, got their first taste of cheerleading at Southern.

Last year's squad, which also included Jane Burton, Betty Martin, Joyce Brown, and Pat Patton, received block letters for their efforts.

Journalism Department Installs Wire Service

An Associated Press teletype receiver unit has recently been installed at Southern's journalism house for student use.

The purpose of the wire service is to bring current news to the students before it appears in the newspapers. "By utilizing the teletype facilities," said R. A. Stiles, journalism department chairman, "the students will be able to analyze the news, evaluate it, and then judge their evaluation by observing how the stories were handled by commercial newspapers."

News comes in through the AP wire directly from Centralia, St. Louis, Chicago, and Springfield.

BULLETIN

Wayne Mann, Pacific Grove, Calif., has been named Alumni director, subject to the approval of the Board of Trustees, it was learned today.

Mann, a graduate of SIU, will replace Dr. Orville Alexander to give Alexander more time to devote to his duties as professor of government and in his research work as a member of the Little Hoover commission.

Sept. 30 Final Day For Obelisk Pictures

Saturday, Sept. 30, will be the deadline for students to have their pictures made for the 1951 Obelisk edition of the yearbook.

Individual photos should be made at the following studios: Freshmen and graduate students: Varsity studio; Sophomore students: Grindle studio; and Junior and Senior students—Nauman studio.

The Student Center will have until Saturday, Sept. 30 to have their pictures made.

Students Plan Program In Honor of Parents

Parents of Southern Illinois University students are going to have an opportunity to get acquainted with the University on Saturday, Sept. 30, when the school's first Parents' morning will be inaugurated.

In a letter to parents announcing the special day, President D. W. Morris stated, "Both of us want to provide the best possible education for your sons and daughters. It is only natural, therefore, that we should get together and exchange ideas on that interest."

STUDENT committees have planned several events for the day. In the morning, starting at 11, there will be tours of the campus, conducted by members of Girls' Rally and Alpha Phi Omega.

Coffee hours have also been scheduled as part of the morning's activities. In the afternoon, the Maroons will play their first home game against the Cape Girardeau Indians, at 1:30. Besides being in honor of

Announce Committees For 1950 Homecoming

The following Homecoming committees have been appointed, according to Homecoming chairman Walker, Thursday:

QUEEN COMMITTEE—Jim Walker, chairman; Mary Boston, vice-chairman; Jane Torrence, Charles Elliott, Bob Lupella, Ada Griffith, Chloeden Miketta, Delores Hamp, Bill Waters, Glen Aschmeyer, Bob Swoboda, Lou Diamond, Dick Durant, Emil Kass, and Bill Wangelin.

PEP COMMITTEE—Gene E. Johns, chairman; Jean Hume, vice-chairman; Annette McIntire, Pat Menesse, Barbara Hudgens, Norma Fitchford, Joan Foley, Pat Nickoloff, Richard Vogler, Rose Gossier, Art Menendez, Robert Williams, Donna Clemmenson, and Pat Calligan.

FINANCE COMMITTEE—Tom Berger, chairman; Charles Dickerman, vice-chairman; Bill Shawmeyer, Ed Lunde, Bill Hartman, Douglas Stahlberg, George Davis, Herman Garsen, George Holliday, and Bill McCloud, and Eileen Abrams.

PARADE COMMITTEE—Louise Von Behren, and Marilyn May, co-chairmen; Jean Mountain, Ambrose Kestler, James Goodwin, Charles Keaton, Jim Pattagay, Jim Drury, Bob McCabe, Mary Corfio, Bob Coover, Jean Merrell, Guy Gurley, Lewen Cook, Jeanne Palmer, and Bob Hahn.

CONCESSIONS COMMITTEE—Bob Solars, chairman; Betty McLaughlin, and Marilyn May, co-chairmen; Jean Hunter, Jeanne Webb, Marguerite Williams, Marjorie Reagan, Audrey Mayer, Jerry Hensley, Peggy Beasley, Phyllis Lord, Jane Handman, Pat Williams, Miller, Betty Smith, Val Yashen, and Bob Robertson.

DANCE COMMITTEE—Jan Mayer, chairman and Mary E. Donahue, Dillard, vice-chairman; Betty Neuhoff, Jean Ing, Shunk, Patterson, Lyle Siegle, Joe Buddie, Jim Kahnman, Don Tate, and Robert Kleist, and Barbara Dueskoetter.

DANCE DECORATIONS COMMITTEE—Bob Smith, chairman; Jim Walker, vice-chairman; Alberta Smith, Barbara Ames, Don Campbell, Willette Smith, Joe McGinnis, Augie Smith, Betty Smith, Sue Ewing, Jean Williams, Nancy Willis, and Andrew Skis.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE—Louis Waters, chairman; Lowell O'Daniel, vice-chairman; Virginia Miller, Jack Bennett, John Smith, Bill Hollada, Don LaBash, Ruth Young, Doug Sheppard, Doris Schwinn, Joe Selement, Jack Flynn, Jack Robertson, Phil Hott, Jo Eaton, and Jerry Ankendran.

The steering committee, composed of the chairman and vice-chairmen of the various committees held their first meeting at the Student Center last night.

Homecoming will be in the third week of October.

PICNIC SATURDAY

The annual newcomers' picnic for new faculty members, their wives or husbands will be held on Saturday, Sept. 23, at Giant City Park at the shelter nearest the deer pen.



BOB COOVER, HERRIN, lets go with a big yell at cheer leaders tryouts held in the men's gym Monday night. (Photo by Peterman.)

Authorities To Talk About Draft, Reserve Status Here Tuesday

An informative discussion meeting for those interested in reserve or draft status will be conducted by authorities on the subject Tuesday, Sept. 26 at 7:30 in the Little Theatre.

Prime purpose of the meeting will be to clarify and explain confused issues about the new draft law and the status of those men in the active or inactive reserve. No recruiting will be done, although army and navy personnel will be present to answer questions.

Robert F. Eberhardt, assistant dean of men, and Tom Sloan, president of the student council, will be co-chairmen of the discussion.

AUTHORITIES present at the meeting will be Assistant Toller, army recruiting officer from Marion, Dr. Max Turner, associate professor of government and air force reserve; William O'Brien, faculty assistant football coach, and marine reservist.

Anyone who is not clear on his reserve status or anyone who is wondering about his classification in the new draft law is urged to attend this informative meeting.

WSC Elects Officers, Plans Wiener Roast

The first Weekend Student Committee event of the fall term will be a Wiener Roast at the Student Center at 7 p.m., Friday, Sept. 23. There will be no charge for the event and George Davis, vice-chairman, after the regular Monday meeting.

Further plans include a dance to be held Saturday, Sept. 30 from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. at the Student Center. The tickets may be bought from Little Theatre members, from the ticket booth which will be at the front gate, or at the Speech House, 302 West Grand.

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To Have Student Section At Home Football Games

In answer to a persistent demand from Southern's student body, the Student Council and the athletic department arranged this year for a special student section at all home football games.

Student Council Tells Its 1950-51 Policies In Special Assembly

In a special freshman-sophomore assembly held yesterday, the Student Council reviewed its policies for the coming year. Members of the Student Council were introduced to the assembly.

Tom Sloan, president of the Student Council, encouraged the freshmen to wear their buttons and digressed pep rallies, assemblies, and cheering sections which the Student Council is to sponsor during the year.

Doris Schwinn, senior Student Council representative, informed the students of the Career conference to be held here in February. Also Martin, Director of Athletics, also spoke on the program. He explained about the new student activity tickets and the seating arrangement to be used at the football and basketball games.

President Morris closed the assembly with a short speech. Next Thursday a similar assembly will be held for juniors and seniors.

ISA Sets Dates For Three Dances

Three tentative dates for dances have been set by the Independent Student Association. The first fall meeting last Wed., Sept. 13, will be a masquerade ball. A five piece band will play for the dance. ISA Southwest branch will be the ISA sponsor for the night. The wisconsin crowd chosen as Southern's ISA sweetheart will represent SIU at the National ISA convention in March. The dance has been planned for the middle of February.

The third dance will be early in the spring term, on or around April Fool's day.

All new students are invited to attend the next ISA meeting Wednesday, Sept. 27, at 4 p.m., Old Main room 213.

Independent Girls Group Has First Meet

Girls from both organized and unorganized campus houses met with Mrs. Carl Jones on Thursday, Sept. 21, at the Student Center.

The meeting marked the second year of existence for the Independent Girls House. The group was organized last year to promote co-operation and understanding among the various groups of girls on the campus, to better housing conditions in the girls' houses, and to bring about an improved program of social activities for the houses.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Jones, the Council is making plans for a successful second year.

All seats on the west side of McAndrew football stadium north of the 50-yard line will be reserved for students this year according to the new plan. The system allows the student body 1800 seats.

Tickets for the first game may be obtained at the University ticket office inside the gymnasium beginning at 9 a.m. Monday, Sept. 25.

THE STUDENT COUNCIL stressed that students are not required to sit in the reserved section, but are permitted to obtain seats anywhere in the stadium by merely showing their activity tickets at the University ticket office or at the stadium ticket office on the day of the game.

All seats on both sides of the stadium are reserved this year.

An all-men cheering section, which is still in the organizational stage, will form the nucleus this year for all campus pep activities. The group will have the lower deck of seats on the 50-yard line in the football stadium this fall, and, according to a recent decree by the sponsoring Student Council, will be allotted 1000 seats at all basketball games.

The organization, which is tentatively under the chairmanship of cheerleader Bob Coover, is still open for membership. It is hoped that this organization will form the building block for renewed and re-invigorated campus spirit.

Membership application blanks may be obtained from Coover, who lives at Doyle Dormitory, from the Student Council office in the Student Center, or at the class assemblies which are being held periodically.

Adult tickets went on sale Wednesday. Tickets may be obtained for any home game this year, except the Nov. 10th game, which is under the supervision of the Student Center.

Adult tickets may be purchased for any seat in the stadium except in the reserved student section for \$1.00 plus 20 cents tax and may be obtained at the University ticket office or by sending a check or money order along with a stamped, self-addressed envelope to University Ticket Office, Carbondale.

Parents will be permitted to sit in the student section, if they are accompanied by a student.

A SPECIAL newsletter to participate in the Student Information Service last week. In the letter was a detachable slip which will serve as an identification card for parents when they buy their tickets for the game, and which must be presented at the ticket window when the tickets are purchased.

The athletic office warned that any University student allowing a non-student to use his account will automatically forfeit all right to the activity ticket for the remainder of the term.

One hundred seats in the lower section of the stadium from the 50-yard line to approximately the 40-yard line will be reserved for the men's cheering section. Students eligible to sit in this section will be determined by John H. Jones, the chairman of the organization.

For the students, tickets will be available for each of the other four games one week previous to the following game. The ticket office will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, and on Saturday morning.

NEW ACTIVITY TICKET

Activity tickets are now available in the Burns' office in the Student Center. Students must turn in their temporary tickets to the Burns in order to obtain the new tickets which will be used for the entire year.

NEW PRESIDENT OF SIU Board of Trustees, Dr. Leo Brown, Carbondale, (right) shakes hands with former board president, R. L. Davis, Carbondale, after Davis had been awarded a gavel by the board in a meeting here Monday. (Photo by Horrell.)

SIU Board of Trustees Approves 124 Faculty Appointments Monday

The first new business of the board of trustees of Southern Illinois University at its regular monthly meeting last Monday at 1 p.m. was the election of Lindell W. Sturges, Metropolis, and John Page Wham, Centralia, to the executive committee.

A total of 124 faculty appointments were approved by the board. Included were 15 new continuing appointments, 24 term appointments, and 29 reappointments. All 32 receiving appointments were public school teachers who will serve as student teaching supervisors at 24 graduate students who will serve as half-time graduate assistants.

General Robert W. Davis, Carbondale, was presented a gavel in appreciation of his service as board chairman during the past year. A silver band-around the gavel bore the inscription, General Robert W. Davis, first chairman, board of trustees, Southern Illinois University, 1949-50. The board was created last year.

Wham was elected to sit on the retirement board of the university, retirement system of Illinois as a representative of SIU.

TRUSTEES APPROVED the graduation of students who completed their studies at the end of the summer term, and also approved a proposed plan for the department of geography and geology.

A resolution was submitted requesting relocation of room 51 to the east side of the campus, and a resolution was approved authorizing the university to rent property owned by them, all subject however to approval and ratification by the board of trustees.

A special meeting was called at the Warren Hotel on October 13 to discuss financing a projected dormitory which is to be located on the corner of Grand and University.

To Hold Pep Rally In Light of Moon

Highlighting the month's activities, a pep rally and campus singing sponsored by Southern's Student Council, will be staged in McCandrew stadium Thursday night, Sept. 28, at 7:30, co-chairmen Willette Smith and Bob Coover announced this morning.

A bonfire, yell led by the new cheerleaders, "hello's" from football men and campus leaders, a gala sing fest, and refreshments will feature the big event. The pep rally, which will be held just three nights after the full moon, will serve the dual purpose of rousing school spirit as preliminary to the Cape Girardeau game on September 30, and of furnishing Southern students with a special night of singing, cheering and entertainment.

It is hoped that the all-men cheering section will be organized in time to perform at the rally. Other plans include a bonfire to be built by the Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity and singing led by Johnny Mullins, student body president.

The rally will be provided by the Student Council in conjunction with the Photo and Audio-Visual Aids departments.

Swartz, Mees Get New Faculty Posts

Two Southern Illinois University faculty members have received appointments from the university board of trustees, at their Monday meeting.

Dr. Willis G. Swartz, professor of government and chairman of the graduate council of SIU has been appointed dean of the graduate college, effective September 25.

Dr. Swartz, who has been a member of the staff since 1930, is a specialist in the field of government and has published articles in the Journal of Economic and Business History, the Journal of American History, and other journals.

SWARTZ RECEIVED his bachelor's, master's, and doctor's degrees from the university of Iowa, and took graduate work at Clark University.

Throughout his career as a student he was awarded scholarships and fellowships, including the Carnegie fellowship in international law in 1927 and 1928. He has been a member of numerous honorary organizations, including Phi Beta Kappa, Kappa Delta Phi, Zeta Sigma, Pi Pi Gamma Mu, and Kappa Phi Kappa.

His experience includes a term at head of the department of history and political science at Sterling college from 1925 to 1927, assistant professor of government at Oregon state college in 1929-30, and assistant professor of the department at SIU since 1930, and visiting professor in political science at the university of Illinois in 1946.

Since 1943 he has been chairman of the Illinois state council of Young Men of America and Who's Who in American Education; and he has served as an officer of the Illinois council for social studies and as chairman of the national council of the American association of university professors. In 1939 he was invited by the Carnegie endowment for international peace as one of two American delegates to participate in a conference on international problems at McGill University.

Dean Swartz will retain his professorship in government, but a new chairman will be designated for the government department.

DR. JOHN D. MEES, assistant professor and principal of the university school has been assigned as half-time associate director of the Illinois secondary schools curriculum program, effective Sept. 25. By action of the board of trustees at its regular meeting Sept. 18, he has also been promoted to an associate professorship.

Before coming to Southern in 1946 as principal of the University, he taught at the Vergennes, Villa Grove, and Thornton Township high schools. Since coming to Southern he has served as chairman of the consultant team for the Norris City curriculum project, as chairman of the general meeting of the Illinois secondary schools curriculum program in 1949, and as a member of various workshops and committees related to the secondary schools curriculum program.

Ticket System At Cafeteria Works

According to Mrs. Lyda Windata, manager of the university cafeteria, the meal ticket system at the cafeteria is working very well. One hundred and forty-two tickets were sold to students Monday. Previously it was estimated that only about 100 tickets would be sold the first day.

Only students with activity tickets may obtain a meal ticket. University high students are also eligible to buy the tickets, which are transferable but not refundable.

"**THE SYSTEM** is working very well and seems to be meeting with enthusiasm," said Mrs. Windata. The system is enlarging the regular business of the cafeteria, and at present the space is limited. However, one of the new barracks now being erected on campus is to be used for the cafeteria. This will enable the cafeteria to handle the increase in business more efficiently. The meal ticket system has also necessitated the employment of more student workers in the cafeteria.

Little Theatre To Offer First Season Tickets

For the first time Little Theatre will sell season tickets for the year's series of plays. A season ticket will enable the holder to attend three major Little Theatre plays.

The first of the plays will be the comedy "Born Yesterday" by Garson Kanin, scheduled for Homecoming. The second play, "Under the Gaslight," by Augustus Daly, which will be complete with hero, heroine, and, of course, the villain. This play will be given the week of Spring Carnival.

The cost of the season ticket will be \$1.50, saving the student \$3.00. The tickets may be bought from Little Theatre members, from the ticket booth which will be at the front gate, or at the Speech House, 302 West Grand.

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The Right Direction

One of the most progressive moves Southern has made in a long time occurred this week as the university cafeteria via the meal ticket system reduced its prices.

The administration and the Student Council need to be commended for their part in this long-headed chop-in prison. Past complaints about the cafeteria have been centered on its old equipment and its unusually high prices. Complaints about the equipment were cut to a minimum recently with the addition of some modern equipment, including a new counter, new tables, and new chairs.

This left the main complaint: Higher prices. Now that prices have been lowered, Southern is at last on its way to a cafeteria that is highly respected instead of one at which the students poke fun and biting remarks.

Under the new meal ticket system (\$7.50 for \$5), the cafeteria probably will lose money, but it won't be the first time. University reports show the cafeteria has lost money for the past few years.

Now, for the first time, students will get the advantage of the loss.

Total loss should not be too much larger than in past years, since the fixed costs will remain about the same and the larger number of persons eating there should enable the cafeteria to buy in larger quantities at cheaper prices.

We hope the administration will continue its new cafeteria policy and we hope the cafeteria will continue to serve high quality food as it has in the past.—B. H.

A Lot of Complaints

Some students and faculty members are protesting the new rules governing parking recently approved by Southern's parking committee.

1. The banning of cars parking in the campus circle except for a few visitors' cars.

2. The restricting of parking lots for commuters, disabled persons, and faculty members showing a need for their car in their work.

Despite the protests, we want to defend the parking committee for its action for the following reasons:

1. It kept the students uppermost in its thoughts. The committee could have said, as we understand some universities do, that only faculty members could park in parking lots. However, this committee put itself in position to receive sharp criticism from the faculty in order to give the students top consideration.

2. It gave the commuters a "break." For the past several terms, commuters have been criticized for their lack of school spirit and their great desire to go home every night. Some of this was justified, but we have always felt that much of it was not.

Many commuters go home every night not because of a lack of school spirit, but because they have families, or part-time jobs at home. Probably some can afford to go to college ONLY if they commute, thereby living and eating at home, cutting expenses to a minimum.

Southern is designed to help the masses—not just a few. For that reason we feel that the commuter should be helped whenever possible and giving them top rating in the parking lots is one way to do this.

3. The committee saw fit to cut out a few parking spaces in the campus circle to provide considerable more safety for students passing between classes. We have seen so many near accidents in the circle that we feel this is a desired move even though it cuts out the number of parking spaces available at such a critical time.

4. We do think, however, that the parking situation should be labeled from the offset as only temporary and that the administration and physical plant should try to make new parking lots available as soon as possible.—B. H.

Still Not Satisfied

Having an IBM card do the work of six cards was certainly a treat to Southern's students, after the long list of cards that had to be filled out at previous registrations.

There are still several kinks, however, that registration officials should try to remedy.

One of the main faults we think was that only one person at each table was writing out receipts. Most of the time other persons at the table were talking with their neighbors while the receipt writer was hard at work. This created quite a bottle-neck and added to a person's registration patience.

Another big delay was in the handing out of the IBM cards in the women's gym. Much valuable time was consumed as an official had to sort out the cards for the various tables. This should have been done beforehand.

In addition, we think the number of lines in the women's gym should be increased by two or three.

Yes, we appreciated the new system, but will appreciate another "new system" even better.

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"They just got my transcript . . . the Dean took one look at it and put me on probation."

Southern Exposure

Canteen Coffee Still 10c A Cup

By Harry, Reinert

Plans got under way this week for a student career day sometime next spring, under sponsorship of the Student Council. We aren't ready to go all the way yet in our praise of the new Council, but all signs so far seem to indicate that this will probably be the Golden Age of student government on campus. The Council will soon be helping for the support of the student body for the career day program, and we think that every student should support the Council in their latest move.

During the first week of school there were some wild, wide-eyed rumors that the price of coffee in the Canteen was to go back down to five cents. The rumor proved to be unfounded. And the justification of the price remaining at eight and ten cents (according to whether you drink it black or gray) is founded on an even weaker basis.

Actual practice will easily show that it is possible to make a cup of coffee—complete with sugar and cream—for not more than two and a half cents. That means a profit of seven and a half cents at the least.

Other places in town are still charging a nickel and still seem to be able to keep their doors open. Why it is necessary for a non-profit organization to charge more than a regular retail dealer is a big unanswered question.

The Student Council and the cafeteria have worked out a meal ticket scheme that is the biggest bargain in Southern Illinois. It seems that the two organizations are looking out for the welfare of the student body.

Our hats are off to the members of the IBM and registrar's offices who made registration this time as painless as possible. But from early registration reports, it seems that the university is still in the midst of its gigantic expansion, so these hardships will probably be with us for years to come. They can't be helped, but the new plan has relieved registration day of one of its biggest pains in the neck.

Speaking of expansion, those who haven't already should notice that the finishing touches are being put on the new training school, that seven new barracks are being erected, and that new parking lots are being built. That's progress.

Notable quote: Any man who says he understands women is either a fool or a liar.

Leaving School? See Personnel Deans First

Any student who withdraws from Southern should report to the appropriate personnel dean's office to receive the withdrawal form and to discuss future plans, the deans' offices announced this week.

Students who withdraw unofficially from the university are automatically penalized, the deans indicated.

Greece Scene

ECA Begins Wielding New 'Big Stick' Policy

By John (Caray) Anastasio

As was anticipated by this source earlier this year, the allocations under the ECA program for the rehabilitation of Greece have been curtailed. The ignition point for this drastic action, not in the very small reduction of only 10 per cent, but in its world-wide implications and portent, is the fact that the Greek government has been very unstable, politically and administratively, for the past three years.

In reporting back to the Egyptian for the past four months on the general complexion in that basin to the Mediterranean, we tried to reiterate time and time again the general flexibility of the Greek political barometer. We stressed it, because it simply was the most prevailing and surferable element in the status of Hellas.

The Greek government first began to receive Marshall Plan funds under the aegis of the ECA in 1948, but prior to that, in 1947 the first allocations of economic and military aid began arriving with the good wishes of the Truman Doctrine, and its aid to Greece and Turkey. Since then the recovery has been, truly enough, well-nigh admirable. A great percentage of the roads are now passable, the Corinth Canal has been reopened, connecting once again for ocean traffic the mainland and the Peloponnese, and the agriculture output has increased to an enviable level.

But it is the shenanigans of Parliament and the premiers that have been the unbalancing and corruptible factors in the Greek dilemma.

This slash of ECA funds will do the nation a great deal of good. Coming on the heels of Ambassador Grady's recent tirade against the Venizelos regime, with the deposition of that clique, this latest move by the State Department is another all-too-needed reminder to the recipients of Marshall Plan offerings that we can't possibly help those countries until first-off they at least make a sufficient effort to help themselves.

In following the rapid political changes which have taken place in Greece in the past two weeks, with three governments calling themselves "boas," I couldn't help recalling what former King George had to say back in 1946 on Greek politics and its participants. "When a group of Americans or Englishmen talk politics," he said, "they talk in terms of issues and problems. When a group of Greek politicians discuss politics, it's always in terms of personalities." And what could be more fitting in the light of recent maneuvering in that birthplace of democracy.

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Guindoline Neely Named Watermelon Queen by Ag Club

The Agriculture club started its 1950 activities with a watermelon feed last Monday night at the University farm. Most of the guests rode from the house to the picnic area on a wagon, but a "faculty special" was also run.

More than 100 persons, including students and their guests, and faculty members and their families, attended the affair. Events of the evening included a tug-of-war, a sack race, a three-legged race, and a watermelon race.

THE CLIMAX of the evening was the crowning of a "Watermelon Queen" by the president of the Ag. club, Marvin Gummer-shaier. The "queen" was Guindoline Neely, a sophomore from Marion. Her attendants were Billie Taskie, senior from Christopher, and Joan Still, freshman from East St. Louis.

The contestants were chosen from the group by a committee consisting of Dr. W. E. Kerpner, Alex Reed, and John Hosner.

The girls were given a slice of melon and the first one to finish was named "queen" with the runners-up as attendants.

The Ag. club is planning a hard dance to be given in the near future.



MARILYN MARTELL, (left), president of Delta Sigma Epsilon, gives Mimi Foley, a new pledge, a friendship token. The scene above is typical of the numerous Greek rush activities held earlier this month.

NEW SON
Dr. and Mrs. Woodson W. Fishback are the parents of a 9 lb. boy, born Sept. 9.

TICKETS ON SALE
Faculty members may buy tickets to home football games, excepting Nov. 10, for \$3.

Announce Procedure For Clubs Having Dances, Activities

Any group on campus planning to sponsor a dance or any activity of similar nature, will have to go through the following procedure, according to a report from the Dean of Women's office:

(1) Consult the director of student activities in the Dean of Women's office, who will assist in selecting a date from the social calendar that will not conflict with other social events. A request blank will have to be filled out and turned in. The request blank, which answers such questions as who is giving the affair, when, etc., can be obtained from the Dean of Women's office.

(2) Submit the names of the chaperons well in advance in order that the office may send a card to verify its acceptance.

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KDA's, Seven Gables To New Locations

by Doti LaSalle

Delta Sigma Epsilon has made several changes in their officers since some of the officers elected last spring did not return to school: Marilyn Marshall, president; Deslores Hamp, vice president; Chloé Miketa, treasurer; Helen Nance, sergeant; Mary Frances LaSalle, historian; Pat Hicks, sorority study; and Jane Morrison, house manager—Joan Foley and Frances LaSalle were elected by the Delta Sigs as captains for late rush, which consisted of a spaghetti supper held at the chapter house Tuesday night. . . . The following girls have been received as full pledges: Doris Jean Carrington, Joan Collette, Gloria Dallas, Mini Foley, Glenna Gustafson, Joan Hamilton, Helen Huckleberry, Jean Hudgins, Maude Kessler, Libby Mars, Janet Moore, Pauline Reed, Donna Riley, Margaret Rogers, Jane Ross, Margie Toler, Pat Treese, Ada Mae Tureman, and Teresa White. . . . Here's something that should interest all of us—Delta Sigs have set Tuesday, Sept. 26 as the time for their annual open house which will be held from 7:30 to 10. The committee in charge of open house is Jane Mountain, chairman; Doris Jean Carrington, Maude Kessler, and Glenna Gustafson.

The Kappa Epsilon elected Gordon Cox and Randall Ashley to fill the offices of Pythons and Hypocrites respectively. Cox and Ashley will replace Ki Tripan and John Lipps who did not return to school this term. . . . Louis Von Behren was elected as freshman sophomore representative to the Inter-fraternity council, replacing Jerry Ankenbrandt. . . . This week is probation week for Bill Adams and Doug Shepard; formal initiation will be held this Sunday. . . . The following men were pledged Monday night: George Sconcepher, Irvington; Don Toler, Carbondale; Eldon Evans, Charles Parker, and

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Large Contingent Out For Cross Country Team

Three lettersmen head L. P. (Doc) Ling's 25 man cross country squad, which faces an attractive 1950 schedule featured by long jaunts.

Scheduled to head the team will be Captain Ray Palmer, of Belleville and the Carbondale pair of Joe McLafferty and Phil Coleman, all winners of letters last year.

The cross-country coach admits, "I don't know what I've got in the 20 or so young aspirants—but there are some promising candidates."

Art Menendez, a two year letterman is not running this fall. He is playing fall basketball.

The tentative schedule:
Oct. 14—Western at Carbondale.
Oct. 21—Eastern at Carbondale (Homecoming).
Oct. 28—Normal at Normal.
Nov. 4—Eastern at Charleston.
Nov. 11—Conference at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan.
Nov. 18—State at Wheaton.

Twenty-seven Men To Make Trip To Hanover Today

Coach Bill Waller announced today that he will take a 27 man squad with him to Hanover, where the Maroons will meet the Hanover Indians in their initial start of the season. Game time is 2:30 p.m. Saturday.

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A sport usually reserved for spring here at Southern is getting a goodly amount of attention this fall as the watchful eye of veteran baseball mentor, Glenn (Abe) Martin. All boys interested in baseball have the opportunity to work out four evenings each week.

At the present time, Martin is holding workouts on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at the Chautauque diamond. At the present time, there are approximately 50 men working out.

NEW MEN who have lost no time in displaying their wares include Wayne Grandolais of Belleville and Jerry Williams of St. Louis. Wayne pitched a three-hitter against the varsity last week, while Williams has been hitting a consistently long ball.

Several veterans have been working out this fall, although 1951 captain Joe Jones is not yet in school. The Maroons lost their ace hitter last year in the person of Bill (Froggy) Bauer. However, sophomore Bubba Burns, who is looking great in left field this fall, was formerly a pitcher, but due to his fine hitting, may be moved to the outfield next season.

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At a meeting held last Tuesday evening, the club voted to re-purchase sports trophies for Southern's basketball captain, Tom Millikin. Millikin's trophies were destroyed this past summer when a fire destroyed the Southern's residence. These trophies include the Conference's Most Valuable Basketball player of last year, as well as the I club's most valuable team player trophy.

Anyone wishing to secure transportation to the Country Club is to contact sponsor Glenn (Abe) Martin, or club president Menendez sometime early this week.

Choose Nolan as Head Of Women's P. E. Club

Donna Nolan has been elected president of a re-organized professional club for women physical education majors and minors.

Other officers are Georgia Bramlet, vice-president; Joan Robertson, secretary; Merline Riva, treasurer; and John Humm, publicity chairman.

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TOO SOON TO TELL

Football talk during the earlier part of this week went something like this: "Boy, those guys looked terrible last Friday." "Which team is the scrubs?", and "We'll lose 40-0." These comments were not exactly uncalculated for after the poor showing made by the local men in their first big dress-rehearsal last week. But in three years now, we can't seem to remember when Southern ever did look good in the first real scrimmage of the season. Of course, during the past two seasons, we've won but five ball games, and the showing at the first of the year was never expected to be highly enlightening.

But all of a sudden this season, everyone expects our football team to be world-beaters. To which we ask the pertinent question, "Why?" Look at the facts:

In the backfield, two of the best runners on the squad are injured, Ems and Simpson. Both are big, fast, and aggressive. But they didn't play last Friday. O. K., So—We've got VanderPlum and Call, and there's Organ and Oyer. But after that, where do we go in the line of running backs? Brother, they just ain't there!

There are some promising freshmen backs who may be great this year. But as of now, they haven't proven themselves in actual game competition. Herb Cummings and Fred Brenzel are both able signal-callers, and should do all right at quarterback. But there's no Luck or Luckman here. We don't expect any.

Cummings was All-Southern Illinois in 1947, and shifted over to the T quite easily. The same goes for Brenzel.

Now look at the line. Coach Waller can't field two strong lines. In fact, if he gets one good line out there, he'll be satisfied, we have a hunch. In the first-string line, there are two freshmen, Cochran and Funderburk. These men can't be expected to be finished products in their initial season here. A third man, Frier, hasn't seen much action at all as a college player.

Cross, Bobka, and Sivilie have played a lot of football, and upon these men will depend quite a bit of the steady progress. Frank Kraus is the No. 1 center. Not only that, he's the only center with any single-swing experience. There won't be many bad passes from the pivot slot this year, provided Kraus stays in there. But where is his replacement?

Give Them Time

So, we feel it's a bit early in the year to criticize. In time, no doubt some competent replacements will be found. But until then, the varsity squad looks thin. Now is the time for the men on the "B" squad to show something. A lot of men who played excellent ball in high school are on the "B" now. So let's move them up, see what they can do. Names like Martin, Ray Sivilie, Steele, Moore, Feldon, and many others bear observation.

If the Maroons don't improve, then let's criticize. But let's give them a chance. And most of all, let's get some depth on that varsity.

Pigskin Nothing New To Old Pro, Bill Waller

Bill Waller, Southern's new football coach, is as much a freshman at Southern as any one of the hundreds of students wearing "Class of '54" badges.

A freshman in years of service, yes, but not in the game of football. Waller-led teams have made their mark at Benton, Ill., Cody, Wyo., and Yakima, Wash.

UPON GRADUATION from the University of Illinois, Waller signed to play professional football with the Detroit Lions. Weighing 160 in college play and only 174 in the bruising professional ranks, Bill was one of the lightest ends in the history of pro football. From Detroit, Waller went to the Los Angeles Bulldogs and later to the Brooklyn Dodgers. After a successful pro campaign Bill turned to coaching and led the Benton High Rangers to conference titles in '39 and '40.

Cody, Wyo., was the next stop. There Bill brought a state championship and a runner-up the following year, to a school with only 400 students. He coached high school football at the U. of Illinois for one year and spent one year at Yakima junior college in Washington, turning in a fine job at both schools.

At Southern, Coach Waller has as he puts it, "a rough time ahead." Injuries to ace backfield men, such as Ems and Simpson, have forced Waller to change his running attack from a single wing to the T formation.

Bill is married and has one daughter, Gabourie, 11.

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Maroons Plagued By Injuries For Hanover Contest Saturday

BY JIM KAHMANN

The outlook is none too optimistic for the SIU football Maroons as they prepare to embark for Hanover, Ind., tomorrow, where they will inaugurate their 1950 season against the tough Hanover Indians Saturday. Plagued with early season injuries, the Maroons will be missing several key men in Saturday's opener.

Stilt on the injured list are full-back Bob Ems with a pulled muscle and halfback Don Simpson with a severely wounded knee. While Ems is expected to return to the lineup soon, Simpson has been counted out for the season via a physician's diagnosis. Then too, a number of first-stringers are not up to par physically.

FOLLOWING a two-hour scrimmage last Friday, during which the Southern men looked exceedingly poor, Bill Waller's crew has been working diligently this week in order to get ready for the strong Hanover eleven, named the "Notre Dame of small colleges." The Indiana gridders have beef and power in the forward wall and speed to burn in the backfield. In fact, this opener may well be the Maroons' toughest game of the entire season.

The Maroons seem to have had trouble catching on to the unbalanced "Waller version" of the T formation. Last Friday's scrimmage left much to be desired in the way of a smoothly-operating grid machine.

However, Waller's men have been looking better this past week, operating from a straight-ahead formation. Coach Waller expects football observers who have little faith in the 1950 grid edition. Potentially, the Maroons have a good ball club, and the squad members have high hopes of turning the tables on the Hanover aggregation.

Waller, in his initial year as grid mentor here, has been working mainly with the 25 or 30 men on the varsity in hopes of giving more attention to the boys he thinks will see most of the action this year.

So far, the line shapes up something like this: Cochran and Funderburk, both freshmen, at the ends; Sivilie and Frier at tackles; and Cross and Bobka at guards. Frank Kraus holds down the center slot to complete a not-too-heavy line. Kraus is probably the biggest man in the line at 210. Lou Bobka and Capt. Red Cross tip the scales at a near 200.

In the backfield, Harold Call, the sprinter from Pana, looks like Waller's first string quarterback.

Halfbacks Harold Call and Johnny Organ were new additions to the injured list after this week's scrimmage. Call bruised his toe in Tuesday's session, while Organ suffered a sprained ankle in Wednesday's workout. Call is Coach Bill Waller's No. 1 left halfback, while Organ is expected to see a lot of action at right half. Both men are expected to make the trip to Hanover today.

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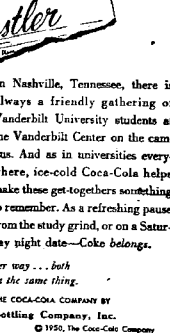
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